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REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	10/088,306
Confirmation Number	2926
Filing Date	March 18, 2002
First Named Inventor	Hiromoto OHNO
Group Art Unit	3749
Examiner Name	Kathryn S. O Malley
Matter Number	Q60716
Title	CLEANING GAS FOR SEMICONDUCTOR PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. Previously submitted
 Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
previously filed on _____
 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 Other _____
- b. Enclosed
 Amendment/Reply
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
 Petition for Extension of Time
 Other _____

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months
b. Other _____

3. FEES

Checks for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 and Petition for Extension of Time fee (for one (1) month) of \$120.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

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Signature *[Signature]* Date September 15, 2005